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Dear Mr. Niles:

TRANSMITTAL OF DRAFT A VERSIONS OF THE 200-PW-2 OPERABLE UNIT FEASIBILITY STUDY AND PROPOSED PLAN/PROPOSED RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT (RCRA) PERMIT MODIFICATION INCLUDING THE PAST PRACTICE WASTE SITES IN THE 200-PW-4 GENERAL PROCESS WASTE GROUP

The purpose of this letter is to transmit the "Feasibility Study for the 200-PW-2 Uranium Rich Process Waste Group and the 200-PW-4 General Process Condensate Waste Group Operable Units," DOE/RL-2004-85, Draft A (Attachment 1) and the "Proposed Plan for the 200-PW-2 Uranium Rich Process Waste Group and the 200-PW-4 General Process Condensate Waste Group Operable Units," DOE/RL-2004-86, Draft A (Attachment 2) for your review and information.

These documents were required to be submitted to the State of Washington Department of Ecology by May 31, 2006, to complete Tri-Party Agreement interim milestone M-015-43C. Ecology has 45 days following receipt of the documents to either approve or return comments to the U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office. The review is scheduled for completion by July 15, 2006, and we would request to receive your comments, if any, on or before that date.

If you have any questions, please contact me, or you may contact Larry Romine, of my staff, on (509) 376-4747.

Sincerely,

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Attachments

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